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In re Patent Application of  
DOUGLAS BRISBIN, et al.

Application No. 10/825,833

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JUNCTION BREAKDOWN POINT  
LOCATED FOR REDUCED DRAIN  
BREAKDOWN VOLTAGE WALK-IN  
AND METHOD FOR DESIGNING  
AND MANUFACTURING SUCH  
DEVICE**

Group Art Unit: 2812

Examiner: Unknown

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